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In re Application of:

Guiseppe COLOMBO et al.

**Application No.: 09/892,480**

**Filed: June 28, 2001**

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
INTRODUCING IN CONTINUOUS A  
SUBSTANCE IN LIQUID PHASE  
INTO PLASTICS GRANULES

Group Art Unit: 1762

Examiner: Rebecca A. Blanton

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**Sir:**

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In reply to the Office Action dated October 11, 2002, the period for reply having been extended for one month to February 11, 2003, by a request for extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please reconsider the pending application in light of the following remarks.

## REMARKS

## I. Status of Claims

Claims 34-66 are pending in this application; however, claims 49-66 have been withdrawn in view of the January 29, 2002, Restriction Requirement. No claim has been amended in response to the pending Office Action.

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